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NOTICE

This is a decision on the Change of Status from Small to Large Entity, filed December 4, 2008, which is being treated under 37 CFR 1.28.

Your fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28 is hereby **DISMISSED**.

37 CFR 1.33(b) states that all papers must be signed. The Change of Status from Small to Large Entity appears to have a signature, but it is not legible. The fee deficiency will be accepted upon receipt of a properly signed document.

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